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Nitra-Touch™ Sterile Powder-Free Nitrile Medical Examination Glove
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K 992768

Checklist
Section 21.0

- [1] 510 (k) Summary
- [2] Ansell Perry
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Contact: James R. Chatterton
Date: 8/11/99
- [3] Trade Name: Nitra-Touch™ Sterile
Common Name: Exam Gloves
Classification Name: Patient Examination Glove
- [4] Nitra-Touch™ Sterile examination gloves, meet all of the requirements of ASTM Standard D 6319 Nitrile Examination Gloves for Medical Application.
- [5] Nitra-Touch™ Sterile examination gloves exceed the physical requirements of ASTM standard D 6319 Nitrile Examination Glove for Medical Application.
- [6] Nitra-Touch™ Sterile examination gloves are disposable device intended for medical purposes that is worn on the examiners hand to prevent contamination between patient and examiner.
- [7] Nitra-Touch™ Sterile examination gloves are summarized with the following technological characteristics compared to ASTM or equivalent standards.

Characteristics	Standard
Dimensions	Meets ASTM D 6319
Physical Properties Tensile Strength, minimum	Meets ASTM D 6319 14 Mpa
Freedom from holes	Meets ASTM D 6319 Meets ASTM D 5151
Powder-Free	Not more than 2 mg residue by mass. Meets ASTM D 6124

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Biocompatibility

Primary Skin Irritation in Rabbits

Passes

Guinea Pig Sensitization

Passes

- [8] The performance test data of the non clinical tests are the same as mentioned immediately above.
- [9] Clinical data is not needed for medical gloves or for most devices cleared by the 510(k) process.
- [10] It is concluded that Nitra-Touch™ Sterile examination gloves are as safe, as effective, and perform as well as or better than the glove performance standards referenced in Section 7 above and therefore meet:

ASTM listed standards,
FDA hole requirements, and
labeling claims for the product.

- [11] This summary will include any other information reasonably deemed necessary by The FDA.



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

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Food and Drug Administration
9200 Corporate Boulevard
Rockville MD 20850

Mr. James R. Chatterton
Vice President Regulatory Affairs/Technical
Ansell Perry
Ansell Healthcare Products Inc.
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Re: K992768
Trade Name: Nitra-Touch™ Sterile Powder-Free Nitrile
Medical Examination Gloves
Regulatory Class: I
Product Code: LZA
Dated: August 11, 1999
Received: August 17, 1999

Dear Mr. Chatterton:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Good Manufacturing Practice for Medical Devices: General (GMP) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic GMP inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in

the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4692. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,



Timothy A. Ulatowski
Director
Division of Dental, Infection Control
and General Hospital Devices
Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

Indications for Use Statement:

INDICATIONS FOR USE

Applicant: Ansell Perry

510(K) Number (if known): K992768 *

Device Name: Nitra-Touch Patient Examination Glove, Sterile, Nitrile, Green Color, Sterile, Powder Free

Indications For Use:

A disposable device intended for medical purposes that is worn on the examiners hand to prevent contamination between patient and examiner.

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Concurrence of CDRH Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Chin S. Lim

(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Dental, Infection Control,
and General Hospital Devices

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Exception Use _____
r 21 CFR 801.109

OR

Over-The-Counter

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